QUESTIONS FOR ANSWERS ON THE DAY

(but not taken up)

Rural Water Supply Scheme

15. Sri R. NAGAN GOUDA (Hospet).—

Will the Minister for Development be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they have received applications from the Panchayat Boards of :

(i) Naganahally ;
(ii) Ananthasayanagudi ; and
(iii) Malappanagudi of Hospet Taluk for protected water supply schemes for their villages ;

(*b*) whether the required estimates have been prepared for the scheme for each of the above Panchayat Boards ;

(*c*) if so, the amount of the estimate for each of the Panchayat Boards ;

(*d*) whether the above Panchayat Boards have deposited the required advance amount to take up the work and if so, how much amount is deposited by each one of them ;

(*e*) when the Government proposes to take up the Rural Water Supply Scheme for these Panchayat Boards ?

Sri P. M. NADGOUDA (Minister for Development).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) Naganahally ... Rs. 1,00,000
Ananthasayanagudi ... Rs. 69,000
Malappanagudi ... Rs. 1,24,100

(*d*) None of the Panchayats have deposited the required amount of 10 per cent in advance.

(*e*) This could be considered after the Panchayats deposit the required amount and in the light of the availability of funds.

Purchase of Sugar in open market

63. Sri I. SOMASEKHARAPPA (Hosanagar).—

Will the Minister of State for Food and Civil Supplies be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether the Government had purchased sugar in the open market during last year ;